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Lisbon, September 21.

ON the 7th Inſtant, which his Portugueſe Majeſty pitched upon as being the Queen his Mother's Birth-day, the Ceremony of the new King's Acclamation was performed in the large Square before the Palace with great Splendor and Magnificence, a Gallery about 30 Feet in Breadth, and 370 in Length, hung with Crimſon Velvet and Damask richly adorned with Gold Lace and Fringes, having been erected for the Occaſion, and ſo contrived as to give an innumerable Concourſe of Spectators, both in the Square, and all the Windows and Balconies around it, the Pleaſure of being Eye Witneſſes to every Circumſtance of this auguſt and ſolemn Act. The Oath taken by his Portugueſe Majeſty in the Preſence of the Cardinal Patriarch and the Biſhops of Portalegre and St. Paul, who had been appointed as ſpecial Witneſſes to this Part of the Ceremony, was conceived in theſe Terms, the King kneeling all the Time, and placing his Right Hand on a Golden Croſs which lay upon an open Miſſal. "I do hereby Swear "and Promiſe with the Grace of God to con- "duct and govern you well and lawfully, and "to adminiſter Juſtice to you, as far as hu- "man Frailty will permit, and to obſerve all "your good Cuſtoms, Privileges, Graces, Fa- "vours, Liberties and Franchiſes, which at "any Time may have been granted and con- "firmed by the Kings my Predeceſſors."

The firſt Perſon who paid Homage to the new King, was his Brother the Infant Dom Pedro, who acted upon this Occaſion as Grand Connêtable to the Kingdom. Then followed the Infants Dom Antonio and Dom Manoel the King's Uncles, Senher Dom Joam, the late Infant Dom Franciſco's legitimate Son, and the Duke de Cadaval; and the Oath taken by them was of this Tenour. "I do hereby ſwear "by the Holy Goſpels, upon which I now "lay my Hand, that I acknowledge for our "King, true and natural Lord, the moſt High "and moſt Puiſſant King Dom Joſeph our "Lord, to whom I pay Obedience and Hom- "mage, according to the Capitulations and "Cuſtoms of theſe Kingdoms."

After which, Portugal Principal King at Arms, having by the King's Command thrice repeated the following Words; 'His Majeſty's Pleaſure is, 'that this Oath ſhall be taken, and his Hand 'kiſſed by all Grandees, Titular Lords, as well 'Temporal as Eccleſiaſtick, and others of the 'Nobility indiſcriminately, declaring that none 'ſhall thereby receive any Damage or Prejudice 'in their Rank or Right of Precedency,' the ſame Oath was taken by all who had any Title to aſſiſt at this Ceremony. As ſoon as this Part of it was over, the King, followed by the whole Aſſembly, repaired to the Patriarchal Church, where, with a Royal Scepter in his Hand, his Majeſty aſſiſted at a Te Deum ſung by the Muſicians of his Chappel, and to the Divine Office recited by the Cardinal Patriarch, who concluded this ſolemn Act by bleſſing the King and all the Royal Family with a Relick of the Holy Croſs.

This Ceremony being merely a National one, and having no immediate Connection with foreign Miniſters, the latter could have no proper Place aſſigned them in it, but were only invited to the Palace in the Evening, where they had the Honour of paying their Compliments of Congratulation to their moſt faithful Majeſties. The Day concluded with Illuminations, Fireworks, and as great Demonſtrations of Joy on the Part of the People, as were ever known upon any like Occaſion.

Florence, Oct. 2. Yeſterday the Emperor's Edict, relating to the Nobility and Citizens of Tuſcany, which has been impatiently expected for ſome Time by all Ranks of People, was publiſhed here, and is by no Means agreeable to either of them, particularly to the Nobility, many of whom cannot, and others will have an infinite deal of Trouble, and be at great Expence in making out their Genealogies properly blazoned, which they muſt do to prove a lineal Deſcent for two hundred Years, being the Term required for thoſe who are to be regiſtered in the firſt Claſs, and who will acquire the Name of Patricians. Thoſe who cannot pretend to this Rank, and who hitherto, by beeing deemed Noble, have been upon an Equality with the others, among whom no Diſtinction was ever made, will, by this new Regulation, be in ſome Meaſure degraded. Laſt Week the Pope ſummoned a Conſiſtory, to acquaint the College of Cordinals with the Death of the late King of Portugal; which, according to the Forms on ſuch Occaſions, obliges all the Cardinals to write Letters of Condolence to the preſent King, and to congratulate his Majeſty upon his Acceſſion to the Throne of Portugal. On the 21ſt paſt an Edict was publiſhed by the Regency, intimating to the Beggars who are Strangers, to retire from this City, within the Term of Six Months, under the Penalties therein preſcribed; and to thoſe who are Subjects, and belong to the reſpective Towns and Villages of Tuſcany, to repair to their reſpective Pariſhes, except ſuch of the former who have acquired a Settlement by having dwelt Six, and the latter three Years ſucceſſively in this City of Florence, and

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and who exerciſe ſome Calling. From Lombardy we learn, that the Duke of Modena is caſting all his Artillery, and that he is conſtantly exerciſing and diſciplining his Militia.

Petersbourg, Oct. 3. The laſt Advices from Aſtrican confirm the News of an Invaſion in Perſia by a Prince of Georgia, who, at the Head of about Thirty Thouſand Men, had found Means to make himſelf Maſter of Tiflis and Erivan, under Pretence of ſecuring them for the Prince who ſhall hereafter be acknowledged as lawful Sovereign of that Kingdom.

Warſaw, Oct. 10. On the 6th Inſtant a Courier arrived here with the agreeable News, that the Tribunal of Petrikau had unanimouſly elected the Prince Sangusko to be their Marſhal.

Dreſden, Oct. 12. We have juſt received Advice of their Majeſties ſafe Arrival at Pforten from Warſaw.

Copenhagen, Oct. 15. The Small-Pox carries off upwards of one hundred Perſons in a Week in this City, which is double the Number uſually put down in the Bills of Mortality. The Grand Baillage of Sealand, and the Baillage of Copenhagen, which have commonly belonged to the ſame Perſon, are now ſeparated, upon filling up the Vacancy occaſioned by the Death of Count Reventlau; the former being given to M. vonder Luhe, late Bailiff of Bottchild, and the latter to Major Pleſſen of the Foot Guards, who has thereupon quitted the Military Service. Baron Wenſe is ſet out from hence for Madrid, and it is believed will take Hanover in his Way. M. Diſtel, one of his Pruſſian Majeſty's Miniſters at this Court, riding out a few Days ago, had the Misfortune to fall from his Horſe and break his Arm, but is in a fair Way of Recovery.

Hague, Oct. 23. Count Bentinck arrived here two Days ago from Loo, where he went on his Return from Vienna and Hanover. Baron de Burmania, the Republick's Envoy at Vienna, is likewiſe arrived at the Hague. A Placart has been lately publiſhed, by Order of the States of Holland, to regulate the Impoſt upon Salt, as far as relates to the Cow-keepers, Farmers, and other People of that Sort.

Leiceſter-Houſe, October 16.

His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable the Earl of Bute to be one of the Lords of his Royal Highneſs's Bed-Chamber; and Colonel Andrew Robinſon to be one of his Equeries.

Whitehall, October 9, 1750.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to their Excellencies the Lords Juſtices, that on Wedneſday the 26th Day of September laſt, about Eleven o'Clock at Night, Mr. Thomas Emes, Veſtry Clerk of St. George's Queen Square, was knocked down before his own Door in Eagle Street, near Red Lyon Square, Holborn, by Perſons unknown, and was not only robbed of his Watch, Money, one Silver Shoebuckle, his Shirt Buttons, a Silver headed Cane, and his Hat, but likewiſe very much wounded on his Head, and bruiſed on his Temples, of which Wounds and Bruiſes he languiſhed ſeven Days and died; Their Excellencies, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery, are pleaſed to promiſe his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Perſon who gave the Blows) who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof. And as a farther Encouragement, their Excellencies are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders, by the Lords Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Treaſury.

Ri. Nev. Aldworth.

Whereas Mr. Thomas Moore, of Illford in the County of Eſſex, was robbed on Thurſday the 13th Day of September laſt, near Okehampton in the County of Devon, by two Perſons on Horſeback, the one appearing to be a Seafaring Man, and dreſſed in a Blue Coat or Jacket, about five Feet and nine Inches high, of a dark Complexion, wore a Wig, and rode on a dark-brown Horſe or Mare; the other appearing like a Grazier, wore a Brown Coat, was of a freſh Complexion, wore his own Hair, and appeared to be about the Age of Twenty Years; who took from the ſaid Mr. Moore Five Guineas and two Half Guineas in Gold, and about Sixteen or Eighteen Shillings in Silver, and one Silver Watch, which was bought of Mr. John Overy, London, but the Maker's Name Andrew De Lanray, with a Leather String and Watch Key to it; and after robbing him, endeavoured to ſhoot him through the Head, by firing a Piſtol at him three Times, and at laſt wounded him in the Face, by the Piſtol going of:

This is to give Notice, that if any Perſon or Perſons can find out who the Villains were that committed the ſaid Robbery, and can apprehend them, ſo that they may be brought to Juſtice, ſhall receive One Hundred Pounds Reward upon their Conviction; or if but one of them can be apprehended, ſhall receive Fifty Pounds upon his Conviction, of Mr. Wynne, Steward to his Grace the Duke of Bedford at Taviſtock in Devonſhire.

By Order of his Grace the Duke of Bedford,

Bedford-houſe, R. Butcher,
Oct. 2. 1750. *Steward to his Grace.*

Victualling Office, June 8, 1750.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling his Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 21ſt of November next, in the Forenoon, they ſhall be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to undertake the Victualling ſuch of his Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels as may touch at Madeira, and be in Want of Proviſions. The Conditions of the Contract may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London, and by applying to his Majeſty's Conſuls at Madeira and Lisbon.

Notice is hereby given to the Petty Officers and Foremaſtmen of his Majeſty's Sloop Merlin, that they may receive their reſpective Shares of Bounty Money for the Six Privateers undermentioned, on Monday the 22d of this Month, at the Thiſtle and Crown near the Victualling Office, Towerhill; or the firſt Monday in every Month for three Years, at Meſſ. Toulmin and Mobringk's, in Broad Street, London, viz.

The Union, Vanquieur, St. Antonio, Pettit Gaave, Bacchus, N. S. Caradad, *taken in* 1744, 1745, *and* 1746. Note, *The Officers will be paid when the Bounty Bills ſhall become payable.*

Advertiſements.

THE Creditors of Thomas Martyr the Elder, a Bankrupt, formetime ſince deceaſed, formerly of Great Bookham in the County of Surry, but laſt of the Pariſh of Headley in the ſaid County of Surry, Grazier, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet Mr. Thomas Martyr, the Aſſignee of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Monday the 5th Day of November next, at the Sign of the Crown Inn at Great Bookham in the County of Surry, to receive their final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects.

TO

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Spicer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, on Friday the 23d Day of November next, between Five and Six in the Afternoon, A Houſe, Gardens, Stable, and Orchard, and two ſmall Fields thereto belonging, being pleaſantly ſituated at Teignmouth in the County of Devon. A very good Dwelling-houſe at Newton Buſhell in the ſaid County, with an Orchard and Garden behind the ſame. An Orchard and Barn called Beard's Lands in Newton Abbott in the County aforeſaid. The Reverſion after one Life of an Eſtate in Biſhop Morchard in the ſaid County, called Knavethern, Baſhwell Oak in Exminſter in the ſaid County, Woolborough Hills and Weſtwoods in Newton Abbot aforeſaid: And the Reverſion after one Life of Hullham near Exmouth in the County aforeſaid; the Eſtates of Mr. Samuel Cooke, late of Newton aforeſaid, Attorney, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Samuel Cooke, late of Newton Abbott in the County of Devon, Gent. deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before William Spicer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of David Douglas, Eſq; (late a Major in Colonel Conway's, and ſince in Lord Viſcount Torrington's Regiment,) deceaſed, are hereby deſired to ſend Accounts thereof to Mr. Jonathan Ayleworth, at Cutlers Hall, London: And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are required to pay the ſame to the ſaid Mr. Jonathan Ayleworth forthwith, who hath a legal Power to receive the ſame.

NOTICE is hereby given, that purſuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 30th Day of April laſt, and to Notice in the London Gazette on Saturday the 22d Day of September laſt, the major Part of the Commiſſioners named in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Stephen Brooke, late of Ealand, in the Pariſh of Halifax and County of York, Woolſt Stapler and Chapman, did meet on Monday the 8th Day of October Inſtant, at the Houſe of Ann Nicholls, Widow, the Sign of the Swan in Brighouſe in the ſaid County, in order that the Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupt might proceed to the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and that at ſuch Meeting the Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupt did chuſe and appoint James Walton, of Skircoate in the ſaid County, Dyer, and Joſeph Emmet, of Halifax aforeſaid, Sadler, to be Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, in the Room of John Hodgſon, the ſurviving Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, who is removed from the ſaid Truſt. And all ſuch Perſons as are indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, are not to pay ſuch Debt or Debts to the ſaid John Hodgſon, but to the ſaid James Walton and Joſeph Emmet, the new Aſſignees.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Samuel Illing, now or late of St. Paul's Wharf, London, Lighterman and Dealer in Coals, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 29th Day of September laſt; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 17th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination, and ſuch of the Creditors as have not already proved their Debts may then prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Hayward, of Fore-ſtreet, London, Diſtiller, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th of October inſtant, and on the 1ſt and 27th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Talmarſh, Attorney, in Red Lyon-ſtreet, Clerkenwell.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Bird, of High Holborn, in the County of Middleſex, Shoemaker and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Richardſon, late of the Pariſh of St. George Hanover-ſquare in the County of Middleſex, Haberdaſher, intend to meet on the 8th of November next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Bridges, late of Milk-ſtreet, London, Haberdaſher and Mercer, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of November next, (inſtead of the 17th Day of October inſtant, as inſerted in the Gazette of Saturday the 22d of September laſt) at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Willett, of the Pariſh of St. Clements Danes, in the County of Middleſex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 12th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January 1747, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Warden of the Priſon of the Fleet, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-firſt Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at Guildhall in and for the City of London, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Ranald Mack Donald, late of Piccadilly, in the Pariſh of St. James in the County of Middleſex, Dealer and Chapman.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt, in his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Firſt Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Iſaac Newton, late of Peak in the Pariſh of Scauby and County of York, Gentleman.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette, Gratis.

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